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Queen Elizabeth High School, Hexham



Enrichment

BOTH YEARS The **Royal Television Society** is now accepting entries for its **Young People's Media Festival**. The Festival has been designed to showcase creative, skilful and original talent in film making. For the Senior Media Festival (entrants aged **14 to 19 years**) submissions should be in the following categories:

- **Factual** – a short film documenting or reporting non-fictional person or event e.g. documentaries or news reports
- **Drama** – a short film telling a story based on an original or adapted script
- **Entertainment** – short films covering advertisements, music videos, animation and showreels



The most outstanding work from the entries will be recognised and awarded a **Royal Television Society Certificate**, along with a trophy for the institution/organisation that submitted the entry. The closing date for all entries is **Friday 16 March 2018**. For further information, guidelines and to download an application form, see www.sunderland.ac.uk/rtsypmf

University/College

YEAR 12 **Oxford and Cambridge universities** are running a joint **conference at Newcastle Arena on Thursday 22 March 2018**. The conference is designed to bring up-to-date information about their courses, the application process, and admissions procedures, at both universities. The events are aimed at Year 12 students and bookings can only be made through school. If you are considering applying to either Oxford or Cambridge, please **sign up in the Curriculum Office** by **Friday 2 February 2018**.

BOTH YEARS The **University of Cumbria** is holding a '**Summer University**' event from **Tuesday 10 to Friday 13 July 2018**. The free event gives students the opportunity to find out more about the **range of courses available** at university, attend **subject workshops** and **live on campus** for four days. As the Summer University is a popular scheme, priority is given to students who meet widening participation criteria such as household income or whether their parents have been to university. Students can either apply online or the Curriculum Office has hard copies of the application form. For more information including full details of the eligibility criteria, see

<https://www.cumbria.ac.uk/about/partnerships/schools-and-colleges/summer-university/year-12-summer-university/>



Careers/Apprenticeships

YEAR 13 **Hays Travel** are now accepting applications for their **apprenticeship programme** starting in **August 2018**. Apprentices can undertake their Travel Consultant Level 3 Apprenticeship at any Hays branch across the UK (**including Hexham**), although there are other apprenticeships also available covering different job roles. Apprentices **earn a salary** at the same time as **completing qualifications**

and have **guaranteed job security** with a **permanent position on completion of the apprenticeship**. For more information and to apply, see <https://www.haystravel.co.uk/careers/apprenticeships>

BOTH YEARS The **Newcastle Hospitals NHS Trust** are holding their next **careers event** at the New Education Centre in the RVI on Saturday 24 March 2018, 10.00am – 1.00pm. There will be **over 40 different NHS careers** covered by the event, including medicine, nursing, admin, blood sciences, HR, radiology and respiratory physiologists, and many more. The event will also include information about their apprenticeship scheme which guarantees jobs at the end of successful completion and volunteering. For more information on jobs in Newcastle hospitals, see <http://www.newcastle-hospitals.org.uk/jobs/>

